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EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

A petition for a three month extension of time in the above-identified application is herein requested.

Applicant is concurrently filing a Continuation application and the present extension of time is necessary to keep the above-identified application in pending status in order to claim priority thereto.

The requisite extension fee is enclosed. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees in connection herewith to Deposit Account No. 01.2000.

Respectfully submitted,

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